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FM AMEMBASSY BUJUMBURA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 4074

INFO AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS

AMEMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM

AMEMBASSY KIGALI

AMEMBASSY KINSHASA

AMCONSUL BUKAVU POUCH

C O N F I D E N T I A L BUJUMBURA 1007

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, ETRN, BY,TZ, CG

SUBJECT: FOREIGN MINISTER DEPARTS FOR DAR ES SALAAM

1. FOREIGN MINISTER SIMBANANIYE LEFT BUJUMBURA NOV 03 FOR DAR ES SALAAM. LONGON KANUMA, MINISTER OF PUBLIC WORKS, TRANSPORTATION AND EQUIPMENT, ALSO ON DELEGATION.
2. ACCORDING FRENCH ADVISOR TO MINISTRY OF ECONOMY, PROBLEM OF TRANSPORTATION THROUGH TANZANIA BECOMING MORE AND MORE CRITICAL FOR BURUNDI, AND FOREIGN MINISTER WILL ATTEMPT WORK OUT SATISFACTORY SOLUTION WITH TANZANIA.
3. PREMIUM GASOLINE HAS BEEN LACKING IN BUJUMBURA AND EASTERN KIVU FOR SOME TIME, AND FUEL OIL SUPPLIES ALSO LOW, ALTHOUGH SMALL SHIPMENTS WERE EXPECTED TO ARRIVE OVER WEEKEND.

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4. INFORMATION AVAILABLE HERE SUGGESTS DIFFICULTY MAY

BE TECHNICAL, ARISING FROM LARGER VOLUME ZAMBIAN IMPORTS AND TANZANIAN EXPORTS AND PERHAPS FROM MAINTENANCE PROBLEMS OF EAST AFRICAN RAILWAYS, BUT IT TENDS TO BE INTERPRETED LOCALLY AS EVIDENCE CONTINUED POLITICAL DIFFICULTIES BETWEEN TANZANIA AND BURUNDI.

5. ADVISOR ALSO NOTES TANZANIA HAS DEMANDED FIFTY MILLION BURUNDI FRANC COMPENSATION PAYMENT (ALMOST \$640,000) IN ACCORDANCE JULY AGREEMENT. THIS LARGE IN BURUNDI CONTEXT, AND SIMBANANIYE MAY TRY HAVE REDUCED. KEITER

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